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Dear Harold,

For the first time I got to see you in a TV interview. You were in a documentary called "Reasonable Doubt" on the Arts and Entertainment cable channel last Wednesday night.

I found it interesting what you said about the so-called "pristine" bullet. Of course it is not "pristine", it is dented on the rear side. Do you not believe in the theory that the bullet was tumbling when it hit Governor Connally's wrist, going backwards? Couldn't this account for the severe denting?

In one photo I have from the National Archives showing the rear of the bullet, the rear measures 33/16" X 26/16" (2 1/16" X 1 5/8"). That is a ratio of about 21% to 79%. In another photo the ratio works out to be about 24% to 76%. Don't you think that amount of dent could have caused the breaking of Connally's wrist?

Sincerely,

Johann Rush